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## DANIELS FOLLOWS NAVAL BOARD PLANS

### Recommends Building Two Dreadnaughts Besides Others, Each Year

Washington, Mar. 31.—Asserting that conditions had not changed greatly since 1903, Secretary Daniels told the house naval affairs committee today that he had reverted to that year for his navy building program. He advocated the same plan that was prescribed by the naval board then.

"I recommend a continuous building program for at least five years," said Daniels. "The 1903 general board in its confidential letter advocated a continuous program which would give us 20

battleships, 21 armored cruisers, 48 protected cruisers, 48 scout ships, 61 destroyers and 30 colliers by the year 1919.

It recommended that one armored cruiser, three protected cruisers, three destroyers and two colliers be built every year.

"If this program had been carried out we would have had completed by 1919, 20 dreadnaughts, 10 battle cruisers and other craft which would have made our navy superior to that of Germany at the beginning of the war."

"If we should make a five year program," said Daniels, "I would recommend the building of two dreadnaughts in 1917 and two each following year for four years. This would give us the strength of the 1908 proposal by 1921."

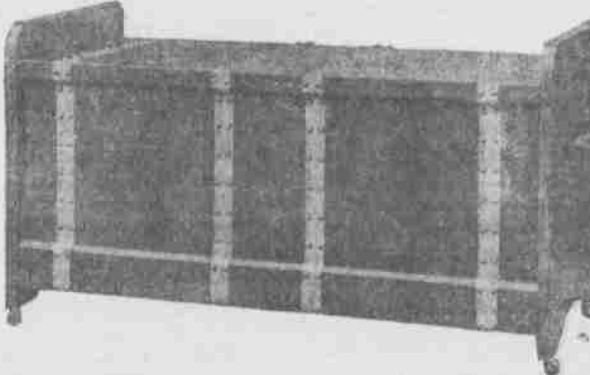
"I have learned lately that the battle cruiser is an important unit of the fleet. The general board has heretofore rated dreadnaughts as of first importance, destroyers second and submarines third, omitting the battle cruisers altogether."

"The more able naval experts oppose them, saying they eat up money. But Japan has 4 and Great Britain 10, and Germany has 6 or 8. I recommend the adoption of a program which would give us six battle cruisers."

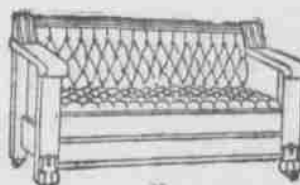
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## STEAMER CHIYO MARU GOES AGROUND IN FOG

Big Ship Carried Cargo Valued at \$2,000,000 and Same Amount in Gold

San Francisco, Mar. 31.—"Chiyo Maru" grounded island 29 miles off Hong Kong. Passengers were brought Hong Kong immediately.

This cablegram received here today at the offices of the Toyo Kisen Kaisha steamship line brought the first word of an accident to the giant ship. It was dated at Hong Kong yesterday, indicating that the crock Pacific liner ran aground some time Thursday morning.

Unofficial advices received at the local offices said that Chiyo Maru was fast ashore on one of the Lema islands, which are situated at the mouth of the Canton river. The cablegram bringing first official news of the accident came from the company's office at Hong Kong. It is not known how seriously damaged is the liner.

The steamer sailed from San Francisco March 2 under command of Captain Ernest Bent, senior officer of the T. K. K. line. At that time she carried 440 passengers, including Art Smith, the aviator, but as she touched at Honolulu, Yokohama and Manila before heading for Hong Kong it is assumed that there were probably about 200 left aboard at the time of the accident. She carried a crew of 200. Art Smith is believed to have left the vessel at Yokohama.

In its previous voyages the Chiyo Maru always picked up a British plot before venturing among the Lema islands, and Captain Bent, having entered the harbor of Hong Kong many times, was also entirely familiar with the channel. Dense fogs have been reported off the Chinese coast. The Chiyo Maru probably grounded in a thick mist.

### Passengers Taken Off.

The statement in the official cablegram that passengers would be taken to Hong Kong immediately indicated that they were being removed. Line officials believe they were transferred to other vessels. A number of British war craft are known to be in the vicinity and are probably assisting in the rescue work.

No information was available as to damage sustained by the steamer. Officials of the line said they did not think the accident would prove serious, as the ship would naturally move slowly and cautiously through a fog.

Among the first cabin passengers bound for Hong Kong are C. S. Paget, American architect at Hong Kong; F. T. Robins, China representative for American wholesale drug houses; M. S. Myers, United States consul at Chung King; W. D. Duffy, San Francisco shipper; Charles Wheeler, publisher of Detroit; Mrs. Wheeler; and D. G. Belmore, automobile agent.

The cargo's estimated value is \$2,000,000. She also carried \$2,000,000 in gold in her special tanks.

The Chiyo was built at Nagasaki in 1908, is 558 feet long, of 61 foot beams, and gross tonnage of 13,431. She carries United States mails.

## SLAUGHTER CASE NOT YET IN HANDS OF JURY

Attorneys Take Until Nearly Noon to Call Each Other Right Names

Oroville, Cal., Mar. 31.—Judge Gregory's instructions to the jury in Rev. Madison Slaughter's trial will be delivered early this afternoon, according to indications when court resumed and before night the accused pastor may be found guilty or innocent of betraying Gertrude Lamson, aged 15.

The words "liar" and "perjury" not to mention "wolf" and "coyote" were hurled so freely around the room during closing arguments that the audience was satiated with epithet. It became blasé, refused to blush at the harshest remarks and displayed only slight interest when somebody called somebody else a "hyena."

The prosecution ended its final demand for conviction this morning, with young Prosecutor Davis calling the senior lawyer in the case, Defense Counsel Kennedy, a "deliberate liar."

Slaughter appeared unmoved during the closing moments of the debate. Though he seemed a bit flustered yesterday, he had a tight grip on his nerves today and sat impassively listening while the lawyers alternately pleaded for his liberty and demanded that he be jailed.

Slaughter is not predicting a speedy acquittal, but he believes the evidence has shown him to be the innocent victim of a conspiracy. When the jury retires he will be placed in technical custody of the sheriff, there to remain until the verdict is returned.

Davis declared that if Slaughter had been a real protector of womanhood he would have told the women who sat up late with him and kissed him that they were making themselves "liable to scandal when you desert your own husbands to come to me."

Davis pointed out that most of the prosecution witnesses were members of Slaughter's church, who, he declared, had no interest except to tell the truth. He asserted that defense attorneys had misconstrued facts to make it appear that Slaughter was the victim of a plot, and that a sinister "mysterious clutching hand" was reaching out "to drag the white mantle of purity from his shoulders."

As Davis spoke the courtroom was crowded to suffocation and many stood outside within earshot, eager to hear what he had to say against the minister. Extra court officers were on hand to preserve order and forestall applause or

## DRINK MORE WATER IF KIDNEYS BOTHER

Eat Less Meat and Take Salts for Backache or Bladder Trouble—Neutralizes Acids

Uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish, ache, and feel like lumps of lead. The urine becomes cloudy; the bladder is irritated, and you may be obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night. When the kidneys clog you must help them flush off the body's urinous waste or you'll be a real sick person shortly. At first you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, you suffer from backache, sick headache, dizziness, stomach gets sour, the tongue coated and you feel rheumatic twinges when the weather is bad.

Eat less meat, drink lots of water; also get from any pharmacist four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity, also to neutralize the acid in urine, so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active. Druggists here say they sell lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

### COURT HOUSE NEWS

Judge Kelly opened court today in department No. 1 of the circuit court of this county to hear motions, demurrers, and to transact other court business preparatory to the opening of the regular April term of the circuit court which begins Monday, April 3. Tomorrow will be devoted to the setting of cases and arranging the court calendar for the coming term. The docket for this term of the circuit court in department No. 1 will be a short one and no long drawn out cases are expected. The criminal docket is short and the principal case to be heard is the alleged ticket scandal at the fair grounds for which Rex Turner and Cleve Simpkins are now under indictment. A number of liquor cases will also be heard which announces the beginning of the numerous tests of which the new prohibition law will be put.

Judge Bushy today issued an order appointing W. E. Miller as executor of the last will and testament of Mark Hart Youngblood, deceased. The estate is valued at \$3,210 and consists of personal property in Polk and Marion counties. According to the terms of the will Sammie Miller, a boy being raised by W. E. Miller and Caroline Miller will receive \$200 and the remainder of the estate is willed to W. E. Miller and Caroline Miller. The deceased left no heirs. The appraisers are August Hockstein, Jr., Albert Henderson and Harry Wiedmer.

County School Superintendent W. M. Smith and Assistant State Superintendent of Public Instruction Frank K. Welles went to the Hazel Green school in the northern part of this county this afternoon to pay an official visit.

The Marion county tax payers are sending in their taxes in large quantities during these last few days and from now on until April 5 Sheriff Esch and his tax collectors expect to do a rushing business. In all about \$300,000 has been collected to date on the 1915 tax roll and a large turnover will be made to the county treasurer April 1. After April 5 one per cent a month will be added to the first half of the taxes until October 1 when the first

other demonstrations. It was evident that many of those on hand had come prepared to remain until the verdict was announced. Some carried lunches. There were many women in the crowd.



Edna Mayo  
Henry B. Walthall



William E. Shay in "The Ruling Passion"  
Produced by Herbert Brenon in the West Indies.  
A William Fox Picture.  
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### OBITUARY SKETCH

Henry J. Pollis was born November 7, 1832 in Maury county, Missouri. Came with his parents, A. H. and Mary Pollis to Cedar county, Missouri in 1838. Crossed the plains to Oregon in 1852 and purchased 400 acres of land one and one-half miles south of Stayton in Linn county. Improved and lived on same until 1892. Moved to Stayton and there completed his earthly career March 20, 1916.

Married to Mary J. Williams, October 13, 1859. To this union three children were born, John T., Susan E. and William F., who with the devoted wife, are left to mourn the departure of a beloved husband and father. H. J. Pollis was converted and received into the fellowship of the Baptist church by experience and baptism 1870. Was ordained deacon 1888, which office he honored until his death.

Funeral services were held in the Baptist church on Wednesday afternoon conducted by Rev. Lawrence—Stayton Standard.

### PHONE DIRECTORS MEET

Monday evening the directors of the Stayton Mutual Telephone company met in the Standard office. There were present J. W. Mayo, John Thomas, Henry Smith and E. D. Alexander. The meeting was called for the purpose of selecting a delegate to the switch board association.

The question of securing new poles half becomes delinquent and subject to an additional penalty.

Charles James alias Charles Adams, who was returned by the officers to this city on a charge of larceny, not from a dwelling from Port Orchard, Wash., has been indicted by the grand jury on a charge of petit larceny and will be tried during this coming term of court. The charges of the city against James was dismissed and he was lodged in the county jail.

The grand jury returned a secret indictment against F. N. Tracy who was arrested yesterday on a bench warrant charging him with selling short weight wool. His bond was fixed at \$100 which he furnished.

C. E. Scott, a Court street second-hand dealer, was arrested today on a bench warrant charging him with selling a gun without a permit. He put up \$100 bail and was released. He was indicted at the last session of the grand jury.

Since the item appeared in yesterday's Capital Journal stating that 204 more gopher scalps could be redeemed this year over 100 have been brought to the office of the county clerk for the bounty. About \$15 remains in the fund and will probably be used up tomorrow which will put an end to the gopher and mole scalp business until January 1, 1917, when the next year's appropriation becomes available.

Marion county fishermen are busy purchasing angler's licenses for the opening of the fishing season tomorrow. Twelve licenses were sold today and about 40 have been sold this week and it is expected that a large number will be purchased for Sunday when the trout streams will be whipped by enthusiastic anglers from Salem.

The suit of A. O. Sherven against I. S. Baird, an action to enjoin the defendant from interfering with the use of a road, was on in department No. 1 of the circuit court today before Judge Galloway. Attorney Grant Corby is appearing for the plaintiff and Guy Smith for the defendant.

The jury in justice court yesterday returned a verdict of not guilty in the case of the state against Miles Edwards and Bert Edwards charged with selling salmon without a license. The action was brought at the request of the game warden. Deputy District Attorney Ralph D. Moore represented the state and Attorney Walter Winslow, the defendant.



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Appearing Sunday and Monday at the Oregon theatre in "The Strange Case of Mary Page."



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and other matters of business were discussed. At this time it may be well to state that the Switch Board association has found it necessary to levy an assessment of 50c on all shares of stock in the association to use in paying taxes and indebtedness on central office property. The expense of the building and moving was greater than expected and the \$200 assessment levied at that time was insufficient.—Stayton Standard.

Oregon City Enterprise: Twenty-six more machines will be installed in the garment department of the Oregon City woolen mills Monday, according to Superintendent H. F. Tschirgi. This means

that the output of this department will be increased one-third, making in all with the addition of 106 machines. It also means the addition of 15 or more employees to work these new machines. The machines reached Oregon City Saturday from Portland and will be unloaded and installed Monday. Within the next few months a similar increase will be made, according to Superintendent Tschirgi.

Just as if it were not that already the East Oregonian modestly says: "If Pendleton can hold her present pace with reference to growth and new business we will have a real little city here some day."

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